FIFTEENTH LEGISLATURE

## SKETCHES

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AND

STATE OFFICERS

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## SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

Counties.—Llano, Burnet, San Saba, Mc-Culloch and Concho.

REPRESENTATIVE NORTON Moses was born in the State of Georgia, moved to Texas 30 years ago, and is now 52 years of age. He is a man of family, and resides at Strickling, in Burnet county:

Mr. Moses has not been an office seeker, though his people have at times desired his services in the Legislature; held the office of county commissioner of Burnet county from 1864 to 1865, and became the subject of attack and removal by the military under Governor A. J. Hamilton; has always been a consistent Democrat; was nominated by the Democracy of his district for a seat in the lower house of the Fifteenth Legislature; had no opposition worthy of notice, and may therefore be regarded as the unanimous choice of his district.

He conducts a land agency at Strickling, and also applies himself to agricultural pursuits.